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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA ROANOKE DIVISION

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LOWELL MILLER,)	CASE NO. 7:16CV00492	
Petitioner,)		
v.)	FINAL ORDER	
VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT		By: Hon. Glen E. Conrad	
OF CORRECTIONS, <u>ET AL</u> .,	į	Chief United States District Judge	
Respondents.)		

In accordance with the accompanying memorandum opinion, it is hereby

ADJUDGED AND ORDERED

that this petition for a writ of habeas corpus, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, is **DISMISSED** as untimely filed, and the action is stricken from the active docket of the court.

Further, finding that petitioner has failed to make a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right as required by 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(1), a certificate of appealability is **DENIED**.

ENTER: This 22 day of December, 2016.

Chief United States District Judge